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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Pierre JEANVOINE et al.

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EXAMINER: S. VINCENT

FILED:

MARCH 1, 2000

FOR:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MELTING AND REFINING MATERIALS CAPABLE OF BEING VITRIFIED

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a ONE MONTH extension of time be granted to MAY 31, 2002 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated: JANUARY 31, 2002
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due

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TC 1700 has been timely filed.

- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due

has been filed.

- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.
- A Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) is concurrently being filed herewith.

The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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